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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF

STEVEN ABERBACH, R.P.

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TO PRACTICE PHARMACY IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

ORDER OF REINSTATEMENT

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Pharmacy upon application OF Steven Aberbach for reinstatement of his license to practice pharmacy in the State of New Jersey. On January 7, 2004 by Consent Order with the Board of Pharmacy, respondent's license to practice pharmacy was revoked based on a Judgment of Conviction in Superior Court, Union County and an agreement to pay restitution and fines to the Medical Assistance and Health Services Program.

Respondent, having pled guilty to second degree Health Insurance Claims Fraud in December of 2003, notified the Board that he completed his term of probation, made restitution of \$200,000.00 and now expresses his remorse in a letter of apology for his past conduct. The Board, for good cause shown, has determined to reinstate respondent's license subject to certain restrictions and conditions.

IT IS THEREFORE on this /2th day of July , 2006,

ordered and agreed that the license of Steven Aberbach to practice pharmacy in this State shall be reinstated upon proof of respondent's successful completion of 30 continuing education credits, 10 of which shall be didactic.

That upon reinstatement the respondent's license shall be subject to the following limitations until further Order of the Board:

- 1. Respondent shall not act as the pharmacist-in-charge, or as a preceptor, at any pharmacy and shall not own or have an ownership interest in any pharmacy, either by blood or marriage.
- 2. Respondent shall be barred from dealing with any programs administered or funded in whole or in part by the federal or State government including, but not limited to, any dispensing, consulting, billing, or management of a pharmacy.

Expondent shall present a copy of this Order to any employer prior to commencing work as a licensee and shall ensure that each employer immediately notify the board in writing that he or she has received and understands the terms of the Order.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY

By:

Edward McGinley

President